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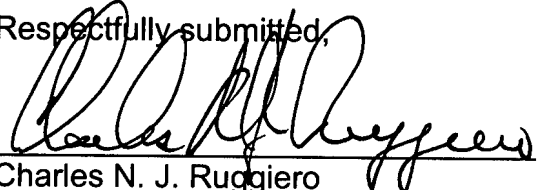
Applicant(s): Dahayanake et al.
Serial No.: 10/800,478
For: VISCOELASTIC SURFACTANT FLUID AND RELATED METHODS OF USE
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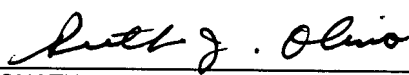
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